

## ARE ALL ON EDGE.

Cooley's Will Clash With  
Sloux City Tomorrow.

Great Interest in Opening Game  
of Season.

BATTLE STARTS AT 3:30

Stores Will Close and City to  
Observe Half Holiday.

Kaufman Is Slated to Pitch for  
Topeka.

Where They Open the Season.

Des Moines at St. Joseph.  
Omaha at Wichita.  
Sloux City at Topeka.  
Lincoln at Denver.

Umpires.  
At Topeka, Spencer.  
At St. Joseph, Haskell.  
At Denver, Allen.  
At Wichita, Clark.

Some fans are counting the hours,  
others are counting pennies and still  
others are counting on getting off from  
work.



Manager Dick Cooley of the Topeka  
Team.

But they are all counting toward  
one end—getting out Friday afternoon  
and seeing the opening of the big  
show. Lady Macbeth-like, Cooley has  
told the team to "screw its courage  
up to the sticking place and it can not  
fail." And the boys have made up  
their minds to bring home the bacon.  
Everything is in readiness for the  
skirmish tomorrow. The team is up  
to the minute as far as training is  
concerned. The grounds are in apple  
pie order.

The opponents of the local team at  
the opening game—Sloux City—were  
the real leaders in last year's race,  
although they lost the pennant to Des  
Moines. But the Sloux lost a lot of  
strength by sale and draft at the close  
of last year's season and whether or  
not they will stand in this year's race  
as they did in '09 remains to be seen.  
The hope from the home of the War-  
riors is that the aggregation is strong,  
but just how strong the team is the  
sport writers up north have wisely re-  
frained from predicting. Topeka likes  
the Sloux aggregation because of the  
team which represented the Pack-  
et city last year and all this will help  
draw a great crowd for the opening  
game.

## Locals Look Good.

The locals look better now than at  
any previous opening in Topeka. Be-  
side a good ball club, Cooley has a  
bunch of pitchers who are now show-  
ing up good. Pitchers cause Richard  
more loss of sleep than anything else.  
In years past Cooley has always start-  
ed the season with one pitcher who  
could throw 'em and several who had  
thrown them the year before or hoped  
to next year. This year the twirling  
department looks to be high class. The  
opening of hostilities may show up  
some bad ones, but this is not expect-  
ed. The flinging portion of the Cooley  
crew is just now fair to gaze upon.  
Young, by the way, has at last decid-  
ed to come in. His wired Cooley last  
night asking for Richard's last fig-  
ures on the salary question. Corley is  
undecided as to whether to answer

Nervous  
Prostration

"I suffered so with Nervous  
Prostration that I thought there  
was no use trying to get well. A  
friend recommended Dr. Miles' Nerve  
Nervine, and although skeptical  
at first, I soon found myself re-  
covering, and am to-day well."

MRS. D. I. JONES,

5800 Broadway, Cleveland, O.

Much sickness is of nervous  
origin. It's the nerves that  
make the heart force the blood  
through the veins, the lungs  
take in oxygen, the stomach di-  
gest food, the liver secrete bile  
and the kidneys filter the blood.  
If any of these organs are weak,  
it is the fault of the nerves  
through which they get their  
strength. Dr. Miles' Nerve  
Nervine is a specific for the nerves.  
It soothes the irritation and assists  
in the generation of nerve force.  
Therefore you can hardly miss  
it if you take Dr. Miles' Nerve  
Nervine when sick. Get a bottle from  
your druggist. Take it all ac-  
cording to directions, and if it  
does not benefit he will return  
your money.

## STANDING OF TEAMS.

National League.			
Cities.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	1	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	0	1.000
Boston	1	0	1.000
Cincinnati	1	0	1.000
New York	1	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Brooklyn	1	0	1.000

American League.			
Cities.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cleveland	1	0	1.000
Boston	1	0	1.000
Detroit	1	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	0	1.000
New York	1	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	0	1.000

American Association.			
Cities.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Toledo	1	0	1.000
Minneapolis	1	0	1.000
St. Paul	1	0	1.000
Kansas City	1	0	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000
Louisville	1	0	1.000
Indianapolis	1	0	1.000

and out the salary first offered Young  
or not answer and let the holdout pay  
his own car fare and work for the  
salary previously offered. Young is  
a high class pitcher, but has succeeded  
in getting himself in pretty bad with  
the boss of the smoke house. He will  
have to kiss the hand that smites him  
before he can secure a uniform. Also,  
he will have to get into condition be-  
fore his salary will begin.

The lineup.  
In the contest tomorrow Kaufman  
will probably pitch. The remaining po-  
sitions will be filled as follows: Abbott,  
first base; Kohl, second base; Reilly,  
shortstop; Kunkle, third base; Kerns,  
catcher; Wooley, center field; Thomas-  
son, left field; Pennell, right field.  
For Sloux City, Alderman, out. Free-  
man will go on the mound according to  
the advance dope. Other positions will  
be played as follows: Towne, catcher;  
Stem, first base; Anderson, second base;  
Quillen, shortstop; Welch, third base;  
Fenlon, right field; Neighbors, center  
field; Collins, left field.

Of course it is highly proper in some  
towns in the league to make predictions  
just now as to how the race will end.  
Beyond the fact that it will end next  
fall some time nothing is certain. But  
all of the teams have been strength-  
ened and it is likely there will be some  
surprises this year. Every one who  
has watched the situation believes the  
race this year will be the hottest in  
the history of the league.

Dispatches have carried notice that  
"Rip" Huggamann, formerly qualified to  
enter the race for alderman in this city  
has been turned back to Louisville.  
"Rip" had a lot of bad luck last year  
and his drop to Louisville means that  
he needs another year in the minors,  
and not necessarily that he has not the  
big league stuff. Local fans will watch  
for "Rip" name in the big league re-  
ports next year if not before.

All of the local players are in that  
splendid condition that only weeks of  
work can bring about. The boys are  
enthusiastic. Fair weather and hard  
work have brought about a condition  
that is minor league. The men are  
surely fit for the fray if ever ball players were and they  
have all the confidence in the world in  
their manager. The grounds are in ap-  
ple order. The grounds are in ap-  
ple order.

More Jolt Closing Movement.  
The following drug concerns have  
signed the petition for the closing of  
the order that late employed by them may  
witness the opening game and cheer  
the Cooley crew to victory:  
Frad's, Weikman's, Rosser Drug  
Co., Price's, Marshall Brothers, Wil-  
liam Lake, A. F. Gibler, Rowley's,  
Stansfield's, Waggoner's, Pratt Bros.,  
J. M. Brunst.

The following have also "signed up."  
This list is additional to the one al-  
ready published:  
Enterprise Cleaning Co., Johnson &  
Beck, M. J. Fitzgerald, J. O. P.,  
W. S. Willits, J. M. Oldham, the Cash  
Music Co., John Knoll, W. H. Rutter,  
Thompson's 5 and 10 cent store, A. J.  
Proudt, Phil Mayer, Voland Clothing  
company.

## IN THE BIG LEAGUES.

Addie Joss Pitches First No Hit Game  
of Season.

With Addie Joss on the firing line  
the Cleveland Americans shut out Chi-  
cago in a fast game at the Windy City  
Wednesday. White was on the slab  
for the Sox and the Napoleons touch-  
ed up his delivery for seven hits. The  
Sox were unable to connect with Joss  
safely and the Ohio pitcher only let  
two down on balls. Philadelphia  
opened the season with a victory over  
New York. The Phillies blanked the  
Gothamites and took half a dozen  
runs for their own use. Bonds hit  
the box work for the Quakers while  
Doyle worked for the Empire state  
boys.

The Senators enjoyed a little sweet-  
fest when they met Boston on the lat-  
ter's home grounds. Washington se-  
cured 12 runs and Boston 4. In an  
effort to stem the tide of defeat the  
Beantown team sent four pitchers  
onto the firing line, but all were made  
to rush for cover. The Senators had  
their willow salls on and nothing could  
stop them.

The St. Louis-Detroit game was called  
on account of rain.  
New York Nationals handed Boston  
a blank at the end of nine innings. The  
Gothamites took 4 runs and the game.  
By a score of 6 to 2 Philadelphia beat  
Brooklyn on the latter's home grounds.  
Chicago and St. Louis met at St. Louis  
and Chicago won. Score 4 to 2.

In the American association, Kansas  
City managed to defeat St. Paul. Score  
2 to 1. Minneapolis beat Milwaukee  
by a score of 10 to 5. Other games called  
on account rain.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

AT NEW YORK.			
Score by innings:	R.H.E.		
Boston	000000000-0	2	2
New York	010210000-9	9	9
Batteries—Mattern and Smith; New York, Witte and Myers. Umpires— Emalle and Rigler.			

## AT ST. LOUIS.

Score by innings:	R.H.E.		
Chicago	00210101-7	2	2
St. Louis	00101010-1	1	1
Game called end of eighth to allow St. Louis to catch a train.			
Batteries—Chicago, Pfeister and Need- ham; St. Louis, Lenz and Bresnahan. Umpires—Brennan and O'Day.			

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Score by innings:	R.H.E.		
Washington	121035000-12	3	3
Boston	200001000-4	4	4
Batteries—Washington, Gray and Street;			

## A 50 POUND FISH.

Caught in the Neosho River  
Near McCune.

Was a Monster Flat Head Cat  
Hooked With Line.

WERE FIVE IN PARTY.

Went Out From Pittsburg to  
Have Some Sport.

Caught Channel Cat, Crappie,  
Buffalo, With Hook and Line.

JACK JOHNSON PACKS UP.

Will Stop at Omaha, Salt Lake and  
Los Angeles on Way to Frisco.

Chicago, April 21.—Jack Johnson  
was busy today preparing for his de-  
parture for the Pacific coast, where he  
will settle down for two months of  
hard training before his fight with  
Jeffries. He is due to arrive in San  
Francisco about May 1, as he will stop  
in Omaha, Salt Lake and Los Angeles  
for exhibitions.

There will be nine in Johnson party.  
His famous automobile is already on  
the way, as he says he could not train  
without it.

A fair sized audience witnessed a  
mighty fine play at the Grand Wednes-  
day night. "The Great Divide" pro-  
duced by Henry Miller, was Man-  
Crawford's offering. This play is one  
of the greatest of the day. It is Amer-  
ican to the core. The Great Divide  
is more than a play—it's a mirror in  
which one may look and see many  
characters, not one of which is over-  
drawn. "The Great Divide" makes one  
think. There is a wealth of truth in  
the entire play. Its characters are  
people, not stage puppets. "The Great  
Divide" is as original as it is strong.

William Vaughn Moody has broken  
away from the old, old maker of the  
writing. He has left out the villain.  
He has grasped the true western  
spirit. No loud mouthed crowd of  
"cowboys" is seen. The "cowboy" de-  
pend on no "heavy" to give them a  
chance. They stand upon their own  
feet. They do not wait for others to  
make "openings" for them.  
The company which presented the  
piece was fair when taken as a whole.  
Edwin Mordant as Stephen Ghent and  
Mabel Brown as Ruth were pretty good  
some very good work. The play  
pleased.

## AMUSEMENTS.

At the Grand.  
Miss Blanche Walsh was sixteen  
years old when she made her first ap-  
pearance on the professional stage. She  
scored the part of Olivia in "Twelfth  
Night," and scored such a phenomenal  
success she immediately became a star.  
She has since appeared in more than  
a score of great hits, but she regards  
her present part in "The Tenth" as the  
strongest that ever came to her. The  
play, the work of Jules Eckert Good-  
man, will be presented at the Grand  
Tuesday, April 26. Seat sale opens Satur-  
day.

## ODD FELLOWS NEW BUILDING.

Hutchinson Will Invite Grand Officers  
to Attend Dedication.

Hutchinson, Kan., April 21.—The  
building committee of the O. O. F. lodge  
is making plans for the dedica-  
tion of the new Odd Fellows hall,  
which is now nearing completion. It  
is expected that the building will be  
ready some time in June.  
The plan is to invite the grand lodge  
officers of the order, and make the  
dedication of the building an impor-  
tant event with lodges present from  
all over southwestern Kansas.

Another Victim of Baseball.  
Sedalia, Mo., April 21.—Leland, the  
ten-year-old son of B. R. Smith of Ed-  
wards, Benton county died today of  
injuries received while playing base-  
ball at school April 2. The ball struck  
him from the hands of a schoolmate and  
struck Leland in the stomach.

Happy, Happy,  
Use TIZ

A Marvel For Sore Feet. Acts Right Off.



Sore Feet? Never After Using TIZ—  
Goodbye sore feet, aching feet, swollen  
feet, sweaty feet, smelling feet, tired  
feet.  
Goodbye corns, callouses and bunions  
and raw spots.  
You've never tried anything like TIZ  
before for your feet. It is different  
from anything ever before sold.  
It acts at once and makes the feet  
feel remarkably fresh and sore-proof.  
TIZ is not a powder. Powders and  
other foot remedies clog up the pores.  
TIZ draws out all poisonous exudations  
which bring on soreness of the feet,  
and is the only remedy that does. TIZ  
cleans out every pore and glorifies the  
feet—your feet.

You'll never limp again or draw up  
your face in pain, and you'll forget  
about your corns, bunions and callouses.  
You'll feel like a new person.  
If you don't find all this true after  
trying a box of TIZ, you can get your  
money right back.  
TIZ is for sale at all druggists at 25  
cents per box, or it will be sent you  
direct if you wish from Walter Luth-  
er & Co., Dodge Bldg., Chicago, Ill.  
Recommended and sold by Geo. W.  
Benson, 622 Kan. ave., A. O. Rosser,  
622 Kansas avenue.

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Chicago, April 21.—Walter  
Blankin, Frank Kitchner, Arthur  
Kemp, John Bennett and Hugh Flynn  
have returned from a week spent on  
the banks of the Neosho river near  
McCune. Their display of fish caught  
gave them the medal as champion fish-  
ermen from Pittsburg in point of num-  
ber of pounds if not in the number of  
fish caught.

Among the fine specimens of fish  
brought back were channel cats, buff-  
alo, crappies, and all caught with a  
hook and line. The monster, how-  
ever, was a monster flat head cat which  
tipped the beam at 50 pounds. This  
monster fish was caught with a throw  
line but circumstances only were the  
cause of it being brought to land.  
When pulled out of the water, the fish-  
ermen were surprised to see that an eel  
of good size and the fish had been in  
a fight for supremacy, possibly after  
the fish had got fast on one of the  
hooks on the throw line.

The eel had twisted itself about the  
gills of the catfish with the intention  
of eventually strangling it, and when  
the fishermen began to pull the throw  
line in, the big catfish was too worried  
out with its fight with the eel to make  
any strong resistance. As a result in  
any other conditions the line would  
have been snapped in twain with the  
eagle to keep under the water.  
The eel, however, went to its death  
along with the catfish, and furnished  
a dish for the fishermen when it had  
been brought to land. This particular  
catch was made on the morning when  
the party broke camp to come home  
and was really a surprise to the fish-  
ermen when they started to pull in the  
line to be loaded along with the other  
fishing paraphernalia. When placed on  
the scales at a local meat market after  
reaching Pittsburg, the fish was still  
alive and tipped the scales at 49 pounds  
and ten ounces, making the weight  
practically 50 pounds.

## OSAGE COUNTY HAS FROST.

Greatest Damage Seems to Have Been  
Along Marais Des Cygnes.

Osage City, Kan., April 21.—Fruit  
and vegetables were caught by the  
frost in Osage county Tuesday night  
and the loss to farmers will be consid-  
erable. The temperature here was 29  
and a light frost fell. The unprotected  
flower beds in Osage City were  
black and wilted this morning.  
The greatest loss in the country seems  
to have been in the valleys of the  
Marais des Cygnes and the various  
creeks. The orchards on high grounds  
were not touched by the frost.

## Fruit All Right in Chase.

Cottonwood Falls, Kan., April 21.—  
The heaviest frost to hit Chase  
county this spring came Tuesday  
night. The temperature dropped to  
the freezing point and there was no  
wind or an overcast sky to act as a  
protection against frost. It is said,  
however, that fruit has not suffered to  
any serious extent and as the weather  
has greatly moderated there will prob-  
ably be no more danger from frost at  
present.

## REPUBLIC COUNTY INSTITUTE.

William Slipsky Has Completed Ar-  
rangements for 1910 Meeting.

Belleville, Kan., April 21.—County  
Superintendent William Slipsky has  
completed arrangements for the 1910  
Republican county institute which begins  
May 31 and closes June 24.

Professor W. A. Sterba has been  
chosen as convener and will have  
charge of the mathematics depart-  
ments. Mr. Sterba is a Republican coun-  
ty young man.  
Superintendent G. W. Kleihage will  
teach story, methods and reading.  
Music will be one of the special fea-  
tures and Miss Frances Tipton of  
Courtland will have charge of this de-  
partment.

Professor William Erdman of Law-  
rence will teach history and Mr. Chas.  
Bissett of Campbell college will teach  
grammar, civics and literature.

## CLARRIN AT MANHATTAN.

Will Be Assistant to Lieutenant Boice,  
Seventh Cavalry, U. S. A.

Manhattan, Kan., April 21.—Edward  
Clarlin, commissary sergeant, U. S. A.,  
retired, arrived today from Philadel-  
phia. He has been detailed as a  
war department assistant to  
Lieutenant Boice, Seventh Cavalry, U.  
S. A., who is professor of military sci-  
ence at the Kansas State Agricultural  
college. Heretofore there has been no  
assistant in the military department  
but during this year the number of  
cadets has increased and the presi-  
dent has organized a regiment of two  
battalions of three companies each and  
making the detail of an assistant  
necessary.

## EUGENE PROCTOR GUILTY.

Murdered Policeman Devenish in  
Leavenworth Last January.

Leavenworth, Kan., April 21.—  
Eugene Proctor, a negro, was found  
guilty of the murder of Policeman W.  
G. Devenish last January. Proctor  
got the officer on the main street of  
Leavenworth while the latter was try-  
ing to arrest him. Proctor was sen-  
tenced to life imprisonment. Today's  
was the first conviction for murder in  
the first degree secured in Leaven-  
worth for twenty years.

## MRS. GEO. INNES DEAD.

Cablegram Announces Death of a  
Prominent Lawrence Woman.

Lawrence, Kan., April 21.—A cable-  
gram was received here telling of the  
death in Weisbaden, Germany, of Mrs.  
George Innes of Lawrence, wife of  
George Innes, prominent retail dry  
goods merchant.

## OPERATE THEIR OWN SHAFTS.

Osage City People Will Help Miners on  
the Co-Operative Plan.

Osage City, Kan., April 21.—The  
Commercial club of this city has raised  
\$200 to assist five of the striking min-  
ers of the Osage district in the orga-  
nization of the United Mine Workers  
Co-Operative Mining company. The

men raised another \$200 among them-  
selves and will immediately embark in  
the coal mining business. They have  
secured the old Klondike shaft near  
here and as soon as it can be put in  
working order the miners will go to  
work in their own mine instead of re-  
turning to work in the mines of the  
various companies when the strike is  
settled. The mine will be run on the  
co-operative plan and the company will  
be incorporated and will have a full  
set of officers.

## SATURDAY IN WAKEENEY.

Farmers' Teams, Autos and the People  
Make It Busy Mart.

Wakeeney, Kan., April 21.—In the  
last five years Trego county lands have  
been advancing in price, and it is  
claimed about double in some in-  
stances. Lands are still cheap and can  
be had for \$15 to \$40 an acre. Some  
have sold for more than the latter  
figure. In 1909 the crops of wheat and  
corn raised in Trego county have paid  
for the lands on which they were  
grown. Besides market hogs have  
been driven from off the farms by  
the carloads. In Wakeeney there are  
two elevators. Of the wheat and corn  
crops tributary to the town it is esti-  
mated that there has already been  
handled about 200,000 bushels of  
wheat and 50,000 bushels of corn,  
leaving 15,000 for more bushels of  
wheat and about one-half of the corn  
crop. The wheat acreage for 1909 is  
about what it was in 1908, when it  
reached 96,000 acres. The acreage in  
corn this year will be much larger than  
in 1909.

To see the independence of the  
Trego county farmers, one needs to  
visit Wakeeney on Saturday. The  
farmers' teams are seen by the hun-  
dreds, and in some instances their own  
autos, while the main business thor-  
oughfare is crowded with men, women  
and children. And they look thrifty,  
and they are, too. And the stores are  
crowded with customers, who have  
money, or if the store bills are larger  
than the customers expect they pay  
in bank checks. Said one of the lead-  
ing business men: "Every Trego  
county farmer who trades in Wa-  
keeney and rolls his grains and stock  
here, is making more money on the  
farm than any of our merchants." And  
this, too, ought to convince others who  
are seeking farms and homes in this  
part of the state of the productiveness  
of the soil of Trego county.

In the live stock industry Trego  
county is getting to the front. Some  
of the big stock raisers have been suc-  
cessful for several years in capturing  
the first prize in Polled Angus cattle  
at the American Royal Livestock  
show in Kansas City. There are a  
number of cattlemen in the county,  
and they are making money along with  
the farmers. It has taken more to  
win out and this is why so many farm-  
ers and stock men are today on Easy  
street in Trego county.

## TRAIN OF FIFTY CARS CATTLE.

There Were 1,500, Valued at \$50,000,  
Pulled by Three Engines.

Junction City, Kan., April 21.—What  
is believed to have been one of the  
biggest trainloads of cattle ever  
through Junction City, passed through  
here this week bound for Kansas City.  
The cattle had been picked up in the  
western part of Colorado and eastern  
Colorado.  
The train was pulled by three im-  
mense engines and consisted of thirty  
freight cars. In each freight car was  
packed an average of thirty head of  
cattle. This means that 1,500 head of  
cattle were on the train.  
The cattle were stockers and were  
not fat. The minimum estimate of  
them was 800 pounds and the mini-  
mum price offered for them would be  
at least \$30. This means that the  
train of cattle was valued at least  
\$45,000. This is the minimum esti-  
mate and there is a possibility that the  
cattle may bring \$60,000. The cattle  
will be sold on the market as feeders  
to Kansas cattlemen.

## BIG DEAL IN COWLEY.

Cambridge People Sell Herd of 475  
Head of Four-Year-Old Feeders.

Winfield, Kan., April 21.—The large-  
est deal ever made in Cowley county  
was here when Charles C. Clow and  
George Meyer of Cambridge sold their  
herd of 475 head of four-year-old  
feeders to the Verner-Kelley Commis-  
sion company of Kansas City for \$24-  
000. The cattle had been "roughed"  
through the winter on alfalfa hay and  
corn fodder, and were not sold as fat  
stock, but in spite of this they sold for  
an average of nearly \$63 a head, the  
highest average ever paid for a large  
bunch of cattle in this county. Only  
a few years ago this price would have  
been considered very good for export  
steers.  
Part of the herd is to be put on corn  
and fed for a hundred days before  
marketing. The rest will be put on  
grass during the summer and market-  
ed in the fall.

## LOGAN COUNTY BANKS.

They Had Over \$401,000 on Deposit  
April 1.

Oakley, Kan., April 21.—The depos-  
its of the five banks in Logan county  
at the close of business on April 1  
totalled over \$401,000. The popula-  
tion of the county at the close of  
1909, the per capita would be \$101.  
The above is a mighty nice showing  
of deposits for this time of the year,  
and is believed to be the maximum  
amount